

## **King's Way Christian School**

## A Ministry of The King's Way Baptist Church



## STATEMENT OF FAITH

Without apology, King's Way Christian School holds to the same Declaration of Faith as The King's Way Baptist Church, found under Article II, Declaration of Faith, in KWBC's constitution:

"This congregation accepts the Bible as its sole and final authority in matters of faith and practice. We believe in the verbal, plenary inspiration of both the Old and New Testaments. We will teach and preach those truths generally that Baptists have historically held. We will place special emphasis upon the need to return to New Testament doctrine, fellowship, discipline, and organization. Stress will be laid upon the shed blood of Jesus Christ and the individual's personal reception of Him as the only means of salvation; holy living for every believer; the exposure of the apostasy which is evidently engulfing and polluting Christianity; the ministry of the Holy Spirit; and the literal, visible, and imminent return of Christ."

We believe in the verbal inspiration of the Bible. The verbal inspiration of the Bible is the foundation upon which all other doctrines stand. It is without error and is God's total and complete revelation to man. The Bible is the final authority of all matters concerning the truths of God (II Timothy 3:15-17; II Peter 1:20-21; Romans 15:4; Matthew 4:4; Matthew 24:35). King's Way ministries use the King James Bible.

We believe that any form of sexual immorality is a sin. This includes the following: adultery, fornication, homosexual behavior, bisexual conduct, incest, and the use of pornography. These are sinful and offensive to God (Matthew 15:18–20; 1 Corinthians 6:9–10).

We believe in one God, existing in three persons, known as the Trinity: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit (Matthew 28:19; Genesis 1:1, 26-27; John 10:30, 37-38).

We believe in the Biblical story of creation as revealed in Genesis chapters one and two. We believe that creation was complete in six literal days and that Adam and Eve were historical figures representing the beginning of mankind. We reject evolution and any theory that contradicts the Word of God (Genesis 1:1; Genesis 1:26-27).

We believe in the virgin birth of Jesus, which has been revealed to us in prophecy (Isaiah 7:14) and shown to us in fulfillment in Matthew 1:23 and Luke 1:26-38.

We believe in the vicarious suffering and substitutionary death of Jesus. We believe that Jesus Christ bore the sins of the whole world - past, present, and future (Isaiah 53:6; I Peter 2:22-24; I Corinthians 15:3; II Corinthians 5:21; Ephesians 1:7).

We believe that salvation is by grace and can be received only by believing in Jesus Christ and His finished work that was done on the cross (Ephesians 2:8-9; John 14:6; John 3:16; John 5:24; Acts 16:30-31; Romans 10:9-13).

We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ (Acts 3:19–21; Romans 10:9–10; 1 Corinthians 6:9–11).

We believe that every person should be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity. Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are repudiated and not in accord with Scripture or the philosophy of King's Way Christian School (1 Corinthians 13:1–8; John 13:34–35).

We believe in the continuing ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life (Galatians 5:16; I Corinthians 3:16, 6:19-20; Ephesians 4:30, 5:18).

We believe in the victorious and bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ. We believe the resurrection distinguishes Christianity from all other religions of the world (John 11:25; I Corinthians 15:4-19).

We believe in the visible and personal return of Christ (Hebrews 9:28; Acts 1:10-11; Revelation 19:11-16, 22:20) and in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost - those who are saved unto eternal life and those who are lost unto eternal damnation (John 5:28-29; I Corinthians 15:42-58; Revelation 20:11-15).

We believe in God's design for marriage, between a man and a woman only, as revealed in Genesis 2:23-24. We believe that any sexual activity outside of marriage is a sin as explained in the Word of God. We believe that any form of homosexuality, lesbianism, bisexuality, incest, fornication, adultery, and pornography are sinful perversions of God's gift of sex (Leviticus 18:1-30, Romans 1:26-29, I Corinthians 5:1, 6:9, I Thessalonians 4:1-8, Hebrews 13:4). We believe that God has established marriage as a lifelong, exclusive relationship between one man and one woman only and that all intimate sexual activity outside the marriage relationship, whether heterosexual, homosexual, or otherwise, is immoral and therefore sinful (Genesis 2:18–25; Romans 1:18–31; 1 Timothy 1:8–11).

We believe that parents have the primary responsibility of educating their children spiritually, mentally, physically, emotionally, and socially (Deuteronomy 6). We will cooperate with parents to provide a Christian education for their children. No compromise will be made concerning any issues pertaining to the doctrinal truths taught in the Word of God.

We believe that God created the human race as male and female and that these two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God. We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as either male or female at the time of conception and that all conduct with the intent to adopt a gender other than the biological gender of one's birth is immoral and therefore sinful. We further believe that the rejection of one's biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person. Because of this belief, we will refer to all students and faculty with the pronouns associated with their biological gender. We will also require that all students and faculty abide by the dress code established for their biological gender (Genesis 1:26–27; Deuteronomy 22:5).

We believe that as a local body of Christ, it is vital to provide biblical role models to the school's students, families, and community. This is done in order to preserve the function and integrity of King's Way Christian School. It is imperative that all persons employed by King's Way Christian School in any capacity, and those who serve as volunteers, agree to abide by the school's statements and policies on marriage, gender, and sexuality (Matthew 5:16; Philippians 2:14–16; 1 Thessalonians 5:22).

This Statement of Faith does not exhaust the extent of our faith. The Bible itself is the sole and final source of all that we believe.

**Philosophical Sketch** - Our vision is to help the home and church complete this person in Christ. We also emphasize respect for authority, love for country, faith in Christ, and confidence in His Word. The goal of King's Way Christian School is to assist the home in the training of the child by providing a spiritual and academic program while encouraging the child to live a Christ-centered life.

**Philosophy/Purpose** - King's Way Christian School was founded as a result of the strong conviction of our church that today's youth should have the opportunity to enjoy academic excellence in a Christian atmosphere. We believe that our children need a complete and balanced education. The spiritual, mental, and physical facets need a proportionate amount of inspiration, instruction, and attention to truly educate the student.

The educational philosophy of King's Way Christian School is based on the Word of God. The Bible is the foundation on which we base all education. We believe that Christ should be the center of everything; therefore, it is our desire that students receive the best spiritual, mental, and physical training for their future. Because of this belief, faculty members of King's Way Christian School have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and desire that this relationship be evident in their teaching. We believe Christian education must be as follows:

- 1. Founded upon the Word of God and its principles rather than the personal traditions of men (II Timothy 3:16-17 and Colossians 2:8).
- 2. Centered in the Lord Jesus Christ, who is the Creator and source of salvation for mankind (John 1:9-12).
- 3. Directed and controlled by the Holy Spirit, who is able to teach the consenting believer all things (John 14:26).
- 4. Pupil-oriented to achieving the highest academic levels possible as we train these young people to fulfill their roles as ambassadors and ministers of reconciliation for the Lord Jesus Christ (II Corinthians 5:17-21).
- 5. Applied socially in its content and scope so that young people can learn to serve the Lord Jesus Christ in their sojourning here while not loving this world's system (Ephesians 6:18-20 and I John 2:15-17).

**Mission Statement** - King's Way strives to nurture a Christian worldview among all students through exceptional academics and scriptural truths, thus maximizing their potential to serve God.

**Goals** - King's Way Christian School, a ministry of King's Way Baptist Church, exists to work hand in hand with the family concerning the mental, physical, social, and spiritual development of its most priceless possessions, its children. The main objective of KWCS is to equip each young person with a Christian worldview, the finest academic training available, and the scriptural character traits necessary for each student to reach his maximum potential for the glory of God (Luke 2:52).